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SUBJECT: LEIPZIG FILM WEEK

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1. THE LEIPZIG WEEK OF DOCUMENTARY AND SHORT FILMS ENDED LAST WEEKEND WITH NO PUBLIC EVIDENCE THAT THE BRITISH ENTRY " RISE AND FALL OF THE CIA" WAS ENTERED INTO COMPETITION. UK PRESS AND CULTURAL OFFICER REPORTS REPEATED EFFORTS PRODUCED NO INFORMATION FROM OTHER P&C COLLEAGUES OTHER THAN ASTONISHMENT THAT OF 175 FILMS FROM 51 COUNTRIES, 40 WERE FROM JAPAN.

2. UK PCO UNABLE EXPLAIN ABSENCE OF CIA FILM EVEN THOUGH LONG SINCE DISPATCHED TO LEIPZIG, EXCEPT TO INDICATE HEAVY INTERVENTION BY FCO. NEVERTHELESS, LONDON'S VIEW REMAINED THAT IT WOULD HAVE ATTRACTED MORE ATTENTION TO LEAVE WITHDRAWN FILM. IN ANY CASE, CIA DID NOT GO UN- NOTICED, HAVING A ROLE IN GUZMAN'S " THE BATTLE FOR CHILE," WHICH WON A SPECIAL AWARD AS WELL AS PRAISE IN BOTH EAST AND WEST BERLIN PRESS.
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